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A Bill to Legalize all Performance Enhancing Drugs to Increase the U.S. Competitive Edge

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THIS UIL CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 **SECTION 1.** All performance-enhancing drugs (PEDs) shall be legalized for use in
3 competitive sports, academic performance, and other related activities in
4 the United States to enhance the country's competitive edge and reclaim its
5 place as the most dominant nation.

6 **SECTION 2.** For the purposes of this bill:

- 7 A. "Performance-enhancing drugs" (PEDs) refers to any substance whether
8 synthetic or natural, that is used to improve athletic performance,
9 academic performance, cognitive function, muscle mass, endurance,
10 strength, or recovery, including but not limited to anabolic steroids,
11 human growth hormones, stimulants, and nootropics.
12 B. "Competitive sports" includes all professional and amateur sports,
13 including but not limited to athletics, bodybuilding, football, and track
14 and field.
15 C. "Academic performance" refers to the use of PEDs intended to enhance
16 cognitive function, focus, memory, and overall academic achievement in
17 educational settings.

18 **SECTION 3.** The U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) shall oversee the
19 enforcement of this bill. The enforcement mechanisms will include:

- 20 A. Establishing guidelines for the use and distribution of PEDs, including
21 health and safety standards to ensure responsible use in both sports and
22 academic contexts.
23 B. Creating a regulatory framework for the approval and monitoring of
24 PEDs to ensure they meet safety standards and are used in a controlled
25 manner.
26 C. Implementing a system for regular health screenings and monitoring of
27 individuals using PEDs to manage the long-term effects on health and
28 cognitive function.
29 D. Coordinating with educational institutions and sports organizations to
30 integrate new regulations into existing frameworks and ensure
31 compliance.
32 E. Developing standardized protocols for how PEDs are to be administered
33 and used to ensure fairness and effectiveness in competitive contexts.
34 F. We will allocate 1.2 million dollars per year.

35 **SECTION 4.** This legislation will take effect on January 1 2025.

36 **SECTION 5.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

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A Resolution to Allow Ukraine to use United States-Supplied Weapons to Strike Military Targets in Russia

- 1 **WHEREAS,** the people of Ukraine have a right to life, autonomy, dignity, and self-
2 determination; and
- 3 **WHEREAS,** Russia is illegally occupying Ukrainian territory; and
- 4 **WHEREAS,** Russia continues to attack civilian and non-military targets in Ukraine
5 including schools, hospitals, shopping centers, and critical infrastructure
6 from bases inside Russian territory; and
- 7 **WHEREAS,** international law allows Ukraine to defend itself from unlawful,
8 unprovoked attacks; and
- 9 **WHEREAS,** the Biden Administration currently limits the use of United States-
10 supplied weapons to strike limited areas in Russia along the Kharkiv
11 border and prohibits Ukraine from using United States-supplied weapons,
12 specifically Army Tactical Missile Systems, to strike military targets deep
13 in Russia territory; now, therefore, be it
- 14 **RESOLVED,** that the UIL Congress here assembled recommends that the Biden
15 Administration allow Ukraine to use United States-supplied weapons to
16 strike military targets anywhere in Russian territory.

Introduced for UIL Congressional Debate by Barbers Hill High School.



A Bill to Fund High-Speed Rail Development

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THIS UIL CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 **SECTION 1.** The Department of Transportation shall allocate \$100 billion of funding
3 for the development and implementation of high-speed rail systems
4 across the United States.

5 **SECTION 2.** A High-Speed Rail System is defined as a rail network capable of
6 sustained speeds exceeding 150 miles per hour.

7 **SECTION 3.** The Department of Transportation shall work in collaboration with state
8 and local authorities to identify and prioritize high-speed rail corridors
9 based on factors such as population density, transportation demand, and
10 potential economic impacts.

11 A. Funding will come from the Department of Defense budget.

12 **SECTION 4.** This legislation will take effect immediately upon passage.

13 **SECTION 5.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

Introduced for UIL Congressional Debate by Clerk



The Arming Mexico with the Intent of Gaining Obligatory Security (A.M.I.G.O.S.) Act

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THIS UIL CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 **SECTION 1.** The United States will reform the Mexican Armed Forces (MAF) to bring
3 them closer as an ally, increase the security of Mexico, and pave the way
4 for Mexico's membership into NATO.

5 A. The United States will collaborate with The Federal Government of
6 Mexico with the purpose of Mexico eventually requesting to join
7 NATO.

8 B. The US will start training Mexican Armed Forces inside of Mexico

9 C. Mexico shall be given modernized military equipment to outdated
10 variants.

11 **SECTION 2.** Modernized military equipment shall consist of 50 M1 Abrams tanks, 500
12 JLTVs, 15 F-16 fighter jets, 50 UH-60 helicopters, 150 M1126 Infantry
13 carrier vehicles, and 130 M1128 Mobile gun systems,

14 **SECTION 3.** The US Department of State and Department of Defense will be
15 responsible for the implementation of this legislation.

16 A. The DOS will give military aid directly to the Mexican government and
17 will be responsible for conducting audits every year to ensure that
18 military aid is spent as defense expenditure. If 75% of aid in one year
19 is not spent on defense, all aid will be terminated.

20 **SECTION 4.** This legislation will take effect on January 1, 2025.

21 **SECTION 5.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

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A Bill to Legalize Therapeutic Human Cloning to Combat Degenerate Diseases

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THIS UIL CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 **SECTION 1.** The Federal Government shall legalize therapeutic cloning of humans for
3 only combatting degenerative diseases and the Human Cloning
4 Prohibition Act of 2003 will be repealed.

5 **SECTION 2.** Therapeutic cloning procedures includes using embryonic stem cells for
6 creating tissues to replace injured or diseased tissues. Therapeutic
7 cloning of human cells will only be used on the following degenerative
8 diseases: Hemophilia, Sickle Cell Anemia, ALS, Heart diseases, and Spinal
9 cord injuries.

10 **SECTION 3.** The Department of Justice shall oversee the legalization, the process of
11 perfecting therapeutic cloning, and the hiring of specialists.

12 **SECTION 4.** This legislation will take effect on April 14, 2027.

13 **SECTION 5.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

Introduced for UIL Congressional Debate by Friendswood High School

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A Bill to Instate Mental Capacity Checks on Federal Figures to Ensure the Capability of Elected Officials

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THIS UIL CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 **SECTION 1.** A mandatory mental capacity evaluation shall be conducted for all federal
3 elected officials and candidates for such positions to ensure they possess
4 the necessary cognitive and mental faculties to fulfill their duties
5 effectively.

6 **SECTION 2.** For the purposes of this legislation:

- 7 A. "Mental capacity evaluation" refers to a standardized assessment
8 conducted by a licensed mental health professional to determine an
9 individual's cognitive and psychological abilities.
10 B. "Federal elected officials" include members of Congress, the
11 President, Vice President, and any other individuals holding a federal
12 elective office.
13 C. "Candidates" refers to individuals running for federal elected
14 positions, including those in primary and general elections.

15 **SECTION 3.** The Office of the Inspector General will oversee the enforcement of this
16 bill.

- 17 A. An annual mental capacity assessment for all sitting federal officials,
18 conducted by an independent panel of licensed mental health
19 professionals.
20 B. Candidates for federal office will be required to submit proof of a
21 mental capacity evaluation as part of their eligibility requirements.
22 a. Additional Supreme Court justices will be tested every 4 years
23 along with the presidential candidates.
24 C. Non-compliance or failure to meet mental capacity standards will
25 result in immediate suspension from office or disqualification from
26 candidacy, with a process for appeal to an independent review board.

27 **SECTION 4.** This legislation will take effect on January 1 2025.

28 **SECTION 5.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

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The Creating Operations to Bolster American Logistics with Technology (C.O.B.A.L.T) Act

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THIS UIL CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

- 2 **SECTION 1.** The United States will further develop its rare earth mineral (REM)
3 operations inside of the U.S. to help with foreign competition strengthen
4 industries
5 A. 15 billion dollars will be invested into government agencies to bolster
6 efforts in the mining and processing of REMs inside the United States.
7 B. A minimum 60% of all REMs mined and processed will be sold to
8 American technological companies, on the condition that the
9 technology made using the REMs are not sold to “foreign
10 adversaries.”
11 C. The price of all REMs will be set at a fluctuated cap that is 10% lower
12 than the international standard.

- 13 **SECTION 2.** For the purposes of this bill:
14 A. American technology industries shall be defined as domestic
15 industries involved with the production of Semiconductors, Green
16 Tech, and weaponry.
17 B. Foreign adversaries shall be defined as including China, Cuba, North
18 Korea, Russia and the Maduro Regime, as according to Title 15 of the
19 Code of Federal Regulations, Subtitle A, Part 7, Subpart A § 7.2

- 20 **SECTION 3.** The US Department of Interior, Department of Defense and the
21 International Administration will oversee the implementation of this bill.
22 A. The Department of Interior will be responsible for allocating \$5 billion
23 of funding towards mining operations.
24 B. The Department of Defense will be responsible for allocating \$10
25 billion of funding towards mineral processing and refinement and to
26 cover the expected loss in profits caused by price cap set in Section
27 1C.
28 C. The international Trade Administration will oversee audits to ensure
29 that sales are being conducted as defined in Section 1B and 1C.

30 **SECTION 4.** This legislation will take effect immediately upon passage.

31 **SECTION 5.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

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A Resolution to Invest in Grid Reliability

- 1 **WHEREAS,** As it stands, our grid infrastructure is lacking, construction can change
2 the prices drastically between places only 2 miles apart; and
- 3 **WHEREAS,** transmission lines are rarely constructed, leading to inefficient energy
4 flow and grid instability; and
- 5 **WHEREAS,** the increasing use of inverter-based technologies has reduced the
6 inherent inertia in transmission lines, exacerbating grid reliability issues
7 and creating a greater need for robust ancillary services; and
- 8 **WHEREAS,** the existing ancillary services are insufficient to address the grid reliability
9 challenges posed by modern energy demands and technology; and
- 10 **WHEREAS,** here is a pressing need to invest in both the expansion of transmission
11 infrastructure and the development of more effective grid technologies,
12 including high-voltage direct current (HVDC) systems and advanced smart
13 grid technologies; now, therefore, be it
- 14 **RESOLVED,** That the Congress here assembled recommends a comprehensive
15 investment in grid reliability by prioritizing the construction of additional
16 transmission lines, funding research and development for advanced grid
17 technologies, and enhancing ancillary services to support the stability and
18 efficiency of the grid; and, be it
- 19 **FURTHER RESOLVED,** That specific technologies, such as HVDC systems for efficient
20 long-distance energy transmission and smart grid technologies that utilize
21 real-time data for better grid management, be incorporated into the
22 investment strategy to ensure a more reliable and resilient energy
23 infrastructure.

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A Bill to Abolish the A.T.F.

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THIS UIL CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 **SECTION 1.** The Federal Government shall abolish the Bureau of Alcohol, Tobacco
3 and Firearms.

4 **SECTION 2.** Whereas, the A.T.F has a long history of misdoings, this was seen through
5 the events of Waco and Ruby Ridge and the United States has other
6 departments that have the same duties as the A.T.F such as the F.B.I and
7 the Department of Homeland security. F.B.I shall be defined as the
8 Federal Bureau of Investigation.

9 **SECTION 3.** The Department of Justice shall oversee the termination and absorb the
10 duties given to the A.T.F..

11 A. All directors of the A.T.F. shall be discharged from their positions.

12 B. All other agents of the A.T.F. shall be absorbed into the Department
13 of Justice and redistributed into other agencies such as the F.B.I or
14 Homeland Security.

15 **SECTION 4.** This legislation will take effect immediately upon passage.

16 **SECTION 5.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

Introduced for UIL Congressional Debate by Friendswood High School

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A Bill to Limit Arms Sales with Saudi Arabia

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THIS UIL CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 **SECTION 1.** The United States will increase taxes on all arms exports to 8% with Saudi
3 Arabia in order to alleviate the burden on the ongoing humanitarian crisis
4 in Yemen.

5 **SECTION 2.** Arms are defined as any items used in was such as re-loadable
6 magazines, scopes, missiles and etc.

7 **SECTION 3.** The Department of Defense and Department of State will oversee the
8 implementation of this legislation.

9 A. The tax on arms exports will continue to increase by 2% every two
10 years to a maximum of 18% until the situation in Yemen shows
11 political stability.

12 **SECTION 4.** This legislation will take effect immediately after passage.

13 **SECTION 5.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

Introduced for UIL Congressional Debate by Clerk.



A Resolution to Reenter the Iranian Nuclear Deal to Halt Iranian Nuclearization

- 1 **WHEREAS,** Iran has large amounts of uranium, and could soon enrich enough to fuel
2 a small nuclear arsenal; and
- 3 **WHEREAS,** U.S. sanctions on Iran are arguably the most extensive and
4 comprehensive set of sanctions that the United States maintains on any
5 country; and
- 6 **WHEREAS,** The broad nature of the economic sanctions, particularly on the global
7 banking system, has restricted Iranians' right to health by interfering with
8 access to healthcare, education, and other human rights; and
- 9 **WHEREAS,** In spite of this, The International Atomic Energy Agency found traces of
10 near weapons-grade 84% during an inspection of Iran; and
- 11 **WHEREAS,** Were Iran to get weapons-grade uranium, it would increase instability in
12 the Middle East and create the possibility of nuclear exchange Israel and
13 Iran; and
- 14 **WHEREAS,** When the United States was involved in the Joint Comprehensive Plan of
15 Action (JCPOA), Iranian denuclearization was seeing progress; and
- 16 **WHEREAS,** Iran has expressed interest in re-entry of the JCPOA with the United
17 States, under the condition of lifted economic sanctions; now, therefore,
18 be it
- 19 **RESOLVED,** That the Congress here assembled lifts sanctions on Iran and reenters the
20 Joint Comprehensive Plan of Action.

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The Oasis Act

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THIS UIL CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 **SECTION 1.** The United States shall invest in a network of hydropower dams. A
3 quarter of federal subsidies towards fossil fuel companies shall be
4 transitioned over to hydropower by 2030.

5 A. 75% of subsidies shall be utilized to construct major hydropower
6 dams on public land.

7 B. 25% of subsidies shall be utilized towards research and development
8 towards new hydropower innovation, such as turbines and energy
9 storage.

10 **SECTION 2.** For the purposes of this bill:

11 A. Public land shall be defined as land owned by the federal
12 government, excluding national parks and ecologically-protected
13 land.

14 B. "Hydropower Dam" shall be defined as energy infrastructure that
15 produces energy using the natural flow of waterways, primarily in
16 desert land and areas affected by drought.

17 **SECTION 3.** The Environmental Protection Agency, in collaboration with the
18 Department of Energy, shall be tasked with implementing this legislation.

19 A. The EPA shall conduct an annual report on the environmental impacts
20 of development along with financial accountability of subsidies, duly
21 submitted to the DOE.

22 B. The DOE shall be tasked with making any accommodations it deems
23 necessary based off of the EPA's report.

24 **SECTION 4.** This legislation will take effect on FY 2025.

25 **SECTION 5.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

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